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by substituting one or more peptide fragments of the self-protein  
by a corresponding number of peptides each containing at least one  
immunodominant T-cell epitope which is foreign to the animal  
species, said substitution being carried out so as to essentially  
preserve the overall tertiary structure of the unmodified self  
protein.

Kindly add the following claims:

--45. The method according to claim 26, wherein  
substitution is by means of genetic engineering techniques.

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46. The method according to claim 26, wherein said  
immunodominant foreign T-cell epitope is inserted so as to preserve  
flanking regions from the original self-protein on both sides of  
the T-cell epitope.--

#### REMARKS

Upon entry of the above Amendment, claims 26, 28-43 and 45-46  
will be pending in the above-captioned application. Examination on  
the merits is awaited.